



Alberta Elevating Devices  
& Amusement Rides  
Safety Association

## Information Bulletin No. IBAR22-002

April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022

**Subject:** Application for Permit of Operation Amusement Rides

**Issue:** What are the requirements of owner/operators renewing a Permit of Operation?

**Background:** *The Elevating Devices, Passenger Ropeways and Amusement Rides Permit Regulation 28/2012* states the owner of an amusement ride, must apply to [AEDARSA](#) for a permit of operation prior to operation in Alberta.

**Clarification:** The types of Amusement Rides in Alberta are known as Portable and Permanent. The Permit of Operation and inspection requirements are as follows:

1. Portable Rides Monitor for Compliance are required at (or prior to) the first setup during each *Permit of Operation* year to ensure the effectiveness of the owner's ride safety program.
2. Permanent Rides Monitor for Compliance are required before or on the issue date of the new *Permit of Operation* for the current operating year.

**Requirements:** All Ride Owner/ Operator's records at the beginning of each operating season or upon entry into Alberta must be in compliance with statements made in their application for Permit of Operation and be available onsite at location of the ride. This will include however not be limited to the following:

- Ride specific logbooks are up to date
- applicable manuals are readily available at the amusement ride
- manufacturer's Bulletins/Directives respecting ride safety have been performed
- all outstanding directives issued by AEDARSA have been completed
- the owner has on site a record of compliance monitoring records for the last 5-years (or the time the ride has operated from new) from other authorities having jurisdiction
- the manufacturer's requirements respecting non-destructive testing have been performed,
- *Amusement Rides Standard Regulation, AR 223/2001* requirements have been performed
- *ASTM F2783-20* and referenced standards have been performed (as per *Amusement Rides Standard Regulation, AR 223/2001*)
- Latest adopted ASTM F2783 Standard as per *Amusement Rides Standard Regulation, AR 223/2001* and Notices
- Manufactures Maintenance program in place
- Operating and Maintenance personnel are trained as per Manufacture Requirements
- any other information that an inspector may have as a condition of a Permit of Operation.
- **All documentation is required to be onsite at the ride location**

### Implementation:

This information bulletin is implemented April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2022.

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